

THE
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OF A TRVE CHRIS-
TIAN DESCRIBED:

OR,
AN EXPLICATION OF THE
EIGHT CHAPTER OF THE EPISTLE
*of Saint Paul to the Romans, wherein the sancti-
fied sinners heauen vpon earth is layed
open, with explication of the comfort of it to
as many as are so qualified.*

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And now by him published, intending the good and sauing
comfort of euery true beleeting soule that shall
please to reade it.

ISA I. 35. 10.

*The redeemed of the Lord shall returne and come to Zion with
praise, and euerlasting ioy shall be vpon their heads: they shall
obtaine ioy and gladnesse, and sorrow and mourning shall flie
away.*

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TO THE RIGHT WORSHIPFULL SIR

*Thomas Grymes Knight : grace, mercie, and
comfort in Christ Iesus be multiplied.*



Right Worshipfull, I am not ignorant of it that many learned and worthy seruants of God, both ancient and moderne, forreigne and domesticall, haue before me handled this sweet and comfortable 8. Chapter of the Epistle written by the blessed Apostle *Paul* to the ancient famous Church of Rome, and haue vnfolded the sweetnesse of it most excellently and most diuinely, and from thence haue discouered the true Christians heauen vpon earth : and there was small reason for me after such bright shining lights to set vp my dimme candle, yet considering with my selfe that God may be glorified in all mens gifts, and the glorie of his goodnesse and wisdom may shine forth in the varietie of them, and that a different manner of handling the same portion of holy Scripture, it being sound and orthodoxall, may be vsfull for the Church of God, the same truth being sometimes more readily conueyed to the minds of some men, and better relished of them by some mens handling then by others : and withall esteeming an vnprofitable life to be an vncomfortable